

SENATE RECORD VOTE ANALYSIS

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Vote No. 472

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LABOR-HHS APPROPRIATIONS/Motion to Proceed (2nd Attempt)

SUBJECT: Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill for fiscal year 1996 . . . H.R. 2127. Specter motion to proceed.

ACTION: MOTION TO PROCEED REJECTED, 54-46

SYNOPSIS: As reported, H.R. 2127, the Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill for fiscal year 1996, will provide a total of \$263.770 billion in new budget authority, which is \$1.9 billion more than provided in the House-passed bill, \$13.360 billion more than provided for FY 1995, and \$9.254 billion less than requested by President Clinton. Mandatory spending will rise by 9.7 percent to \$200.961 billion, while discretionary spending will fall by 6.5 percent, to \$62.809 billion. The bill contains a provision that will deny funding for enforcement of President Clinton's Executive order prohibiting Federal contractors from hiring permanent striker replacements. The Senate bill does not contain House provisions: to zero-out funding for Goals 2000; to zero-out funding for the Low-Income Home Energy Assistance program; to allow States to refuse to pay for abortions except when the life of the mother would be endangered if the baby were carried to term; to prohibit the use of funds for human embryo research; to prohibit the use of funds to deny any medical school accreditation or assistance for not providing abortion training, not performing abortions, or not giving abortion referrals; to prohibit groups that receive Federal funds from engaging in political advocacy; and to block the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) from issuing regulations relating to ergonomic standards.

On September 28, 1995, Senator Specter moved to proceed to the bill. Debate on the motion was limited by unanimous consent. By the same unanimous consent agreement, the Senate agreed that 60 votes in the affirmative, instead of 50, would be required to agree to the motion. This vote was the second attempt to proceed under that consent agreement (for debate, see vote No. 471).

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YEAS (54)		NAYS (46)		NOT VOTING (0)	
Republicans (54 or 100%)	Democrats (0 or 0%)	Republicans (0 or 0%)	Democrats (46 or 100%)	Republicans (0)	Democrats (0)
Abraham	Hutchison	Akaka	Inouye		
Ashcroft	Inhofe	Baucus	Johnston		
Bennett	Jeffords	Biden	Kennedy		
Bond	Kassebaum	Bingaman	Kerrey		
Brown	Kempthorne	Boxer	Kerry		
Burns	Kyl	Bradley	Kohl		
Campbell	Lott	Breaux	Lautenberg		
Chafee	Lugar	Bryan	Leahy		
Coats	Mack	Bumpers	Levin		
Cochran	McCain	Byrd	Lieberman		
Cohen	McConnell	Conrad	Mikulski		
Coverdell	Murkowski	Daschle	Moseley-Braun		
Craig	Nickles	Dodd	Moynihan		
D'Amato	Packwood	Dorgan	Murray		
DeWine	Pressler	Exon	Nunn		
Dole	Roth	Feingold	Pell		
Domenici	Santorum	Feinstein	Pryor		
Faircloth	Shelby	Ford	Reid		
Frist	Simpson	Glenn	Robb		
Gorton	Smith	Graham	Rockefeller		
Gramm	Snowe	Harkin	Sarbanes		
Grams	Specter	Heflin	Simon		
Grassley	Stevens	Hollings	Wellstone		
Gregg	Thomas				
Hatch	Thompson				
Hatfield	Thurmond				
Helms	Warner				

EXPLANATION OF ABSENCE:

1—Official Business
2—Necessarily Absent
3—Illness
4—Other

SYMBOLS:

AY—Announced Yea
AN—Announced Nay
PY—Paired Yea
PN—Paired Nay